

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

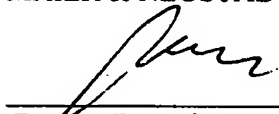
Favorable reconsideration of this application in view of the following comments and in light of the present amendment is respectfully requested.

In the present amendment the specification has been amended to remove the second figure in the paragraph beginning at page 9, line 7. Please notice that double brackets have been added to show the deletion of the figure. No new matter has been added.

Consequently, in view of the present amendment and in light of the foregoing comments, the present application is in condition for formal allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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